

## FEES COLLECTIBLE

County Court Clerk Must Collect Them For Commonwealth.

The State Auditor Issued Instructions to That Effect.

The state auditor has compiled and issued to the county clerks of Kentucky instructions as to their duties to the commonwealth. In these instructions is a list of the items that the clerk must collect a state tax of 50 cents on the filing or lodging for record. They are on each of the following items: Deed for a conveyance, deed of bargain and sale, commissioner's deed, sheriff's deed, trust deed, trustee's deed, partition deed, right of way deed, deed of assignment, deed to minerals, surface deed, timber deed, quit claim deed, deed of release, auditor's deed, collector's deed, cemetery deed, church deed, school house deed, power of attorney to convey personal property, mortgage on real estate, mortgage on personality when the consideration exceeds \$200, marriage licenses, seal attached, action in the circuit court, action in inferior courts when the amount exceeds \$50 appeal to circuit court, appeal to quarterly court, traverse, forcible entry or detainer, proceedings to revive a judgment, marriage contract recorded, seal attached to license issued by clerk.

There are three fees of \$4 that must be collected by the county clerk and they follow: verdict of a petit jury, in civil cases when withdrawn by the parties after jury is sworn, jury in civil cases when the plaintiff sustains a non-suit, after the jury is sworn.

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## FOR RENT.

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## STITES-HERNDON

Hopkinsville Belle Becomes Bride of Louisville Business Man.

Miss Joy Morrison Herndon yesterday afternoon became the bride of Mr. Gervais Taylor Stites, of Louisville.

The wedding was a brilliant church affair and was solemnized at Grace Episcopal church, the rector, Rev. Geo. C. Abbott, officiating.

Messrs. Hiram Thomas, John Stites, M. H. Nelson, Jr., and Frank Brewer, of Princeton, were the ushers. Mr. Brooks, of Louisville, was the best man.

Misses Mary Goldthwaite and Bet Ware were the maids.

Immediately after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Stites took the afternoon train south for a bridal tour and will upon their return reside in Louisville.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Herndon, one of Hopkinsville's prettiest girls. Mr. Stites is a promising young business man.

## YOUNG WIDOW WEDS.

Mrs. Mamie Ennis Duncan Married to Birmingham Miller.

Mrs. Mamie Ennis Duncan was married in Nashville last Saturday to Mr. F. H. Kinney, of Birmingham, Ala. Rev. R. Lin Cave pronounced the ceremony in the Maxwell Hotel parlors. The bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ennis, and Mrs. G. W. Carloss, of this city, attended the wedding, which came as a surprise to Mrs. Duncan's friends here. The bride was the widow of the late Councilman J. G. Duncan, a strikingly handsome young woman. Mr. Kinney is a prominent and successful business man engaged in the milling business.

## Purely Personal

Mr. J. Sol Fritz and family left Monday for Meridian, Miss., to make their home in the future. Mr. Fritz was formerly chief of police of Hopkinsville.

Mr. Ike Lipstine who spent the holidays with relatives here, has returned to New York.

Dr. E. C. Anderson's health has sufficiently improved to enable him to resume his practice.

Mr. W. A. Wilgus has returned from New York.

Henry Stites has returned to Yale College.

Mr. D. M. Rinehart and family have moved to Howell.

Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Prestridge of Louisville, have returned to Sweetbriar College, Va.

Stanley Bassett has returned to Lebanon, Tenn., to resume his law studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, of Paducah, are visiting in the city.

Mrs. E. N. Fruit has returned from a visit of a week to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fruit, in Paducah.

Clyde King has resigned his position with Underwood, Backner & West and is now with Fred Jackson.

## Franklin's Advice.

Fellow Benjamin Franklin's advice of eating a few plain, simple meats, vegetables, fruits, bread and drink, these simple, fresh and pure and coarse. People should follow the argument and instruction he sets forth as absolute and not to be counter-valled.

## "Spanish Black."

Residents of the cork regions of Spain heat the bark in kettles with sprouts, through which issues a gas that is used as an illuminant. The refuse is sold as the "Spanish black" pigment.

## Catering to the English.

From a Vienna paper: "Comfortable pension for English visitors; good kitchen with continental eatables, or plain rosbief with potatoes for same price; nice sleeping rooms with open windows; painful cleanliness; numerous extraordinary references."

## Moderation.

Do nothing that you know will hurt you and when you do what is beneficial do it in moderation. Euripides declared: "Moderation is the noblest gift of heaven."

## Homing Sense in Bees.

Bees sometimes fly two miles from the hive and find their way back without difficulty.

## UNCLE SAM

Spending Millions Each Year In Farm Experiments.

Giving the Farmers of the Nation Tips on How to Get Products Out of Ground.

Gratifying it must be to farmers throughout the country to know that the United States Government is spending in the neighborhood of \$18,000,000 every year on experimental work looking toward increasing the yield and efficiency of the farms of the United States, says a writer in summing up the situation.

This money is not expended in foolish experiments, but all investigations are made under the personal supervision of experienced departmental heads. Secretary Wilson is a practical man and requires results from all lines of investigations. Every avenue of trade is covered because the farmer is largely dependent upon them for his success. His prosperity ultimately brings profitable results in other lines of business.

Recently a railroad official said the United States Government could better afford to invest the cost of a battleship in agricultural experimental work than to spend it in increasing the Navy. A first class battleship costs \$9,000,000. Secretary Wilson decided that a statement ought to be issued telling about the great work which his department is doing. Copies of the report can be had by applying to the Department of Agriculture of Washington. This report tells of an instant where a farmer was raising only twenty bushels of potatoes to an acre, and who, dissatisfied, appealed to the Department of Agriculture for assistance and advice. Both were given and now this farmer is raising 250 bushels of potatoes to an acre where he formerly could only grow twenty. The department supplied him with seeds and information how to best prepare the ground in which to plant the potatoes. This only given as one of the many illustrations to prove the efficient work being done.

## Here and There.

The next convention of Kentucky Educational Association will be held at Henderson June 21-23.

FOR SALE—The life, Trial and Execution of Alonzo Pennington, near Hopkinsville, in 1846. Price 25 cents. C. B. Brewer, Fairview, Ky.

Rev. A. C. Biddle, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, has tendered his resignation and will leave January 11, for London, Tenn., where he will make his future home.

His family will precede him to their new home.—Madisonville Hustler.

For many years science has studied liquor results; the whole world uses whiskey where a stimulant is wanted; in bad cases of sickness it does not injure nerves and tissues like cocoa wines and other drugged compounds. The HARPER brand is the best on the market. Sold by W. R. Long, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Mrs. Winnie Newman McCormick, wife of James McCormick, and a bride of seven weeks, was accidentally killed by her husband in Henderson county, who was carelessly handling a loaded shotgun while sitting in their room.

See J. H. Dagg for contracting, building and general repair work of all kinds. Phone 476.

Mrs. Hallie Hawkins, of Robards, died Jan. 3 from burns received while putting on the burning clothing of her little child.

FOR SALE—Two well preserved volumes of the "Lost Cause," by Jefferson Davis. Call at this office.

## CHRISTIAN CO. CHAPTER

United Daughters of Confederacy, Attention!

The chapter will meet Saturday afternoon, Jan. 8th, at 2:30 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Nat Gaither, cor. 13th and Liberty streets. It is earnestly desired that every member will be present as business of importance will be transacted, and an attractive literary and musical programme has been arranged. Annual payment of dues will also be a feature. Mrs. P. E. West, Rec. Sec.

## INSTALLATION

To-night by Evergreen Lodge No. 38 Knights of Pythias.

At the regular meeting tonight of Evergreen Lodge No. 38, Knights of Pythias, the newly elected officers will be installed into office and other matters of importance are to come before the lodge. It is desired that a full attendance of the membership be present tonight. The officers who will be installed are:

John W. Tunks, C. C.  
R. M. Bradshaw, V. C.  
F. L. Torian, Prelate.  
G. H. Champlin, M. of F.  
W. C. Wright, K. of R. and S.  
W. D. Ennis, M. of W.  
F. B. Wilkins, M. at A.  
E. W. Brown, I. G.  
J. K. Mitchell, O. G.

## MORSE GETS A BATH

And Regulation Suit Like Other Convicts.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 3.—Charles Wyman Morse, former "ice king" and millionaire banker, at noon today began serving a fifteen-year sentence in the Atlanta federal prison for violation of the national banking laws. He is registered as "No. 2814" and tonight occupies a steel cell not in the least different from those to which are assigned the 700 other prisoners.

His immaculate tailored garments gave way to a regulation suit of stripes, nor did the distinguished prisoner escape the Bertillon expert, the prison photographer, the regulation bath or the barber.

## POD PARAGRAPHS.

Much Esteemed Farmer Dead—Other Items.

Pod, Ky., Jan. 4.—Mr. Ben Terry died at his home about three miles northwest of this place last Wednesday, after an illness of ten days of pneumonia. He was about 38 years old. Besides his wife and parents he leaves one brother, five sisters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn his departure. He was a good neighbor and a useful citizen whose place will be hard to fill.

Esq. James Orten will in the near future remove his sawmill, now in operation on one of his farms on Tradewater, to Macedonia, where Mr. J. N. Murphy has one of the best bodies of timber in northwest Christian.

Hobart Huddleston, who had his leg broken some time ago, is getting along nicely.

Mr. T. E. McKnight and two of Mr. Joe Cranor's children are on the sick list.

There is a good deal of sickness in this community.

Cy Klone.

## Five Percent Farm Loans.

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## On Killing Snakes.

The fact that some snakes eject poison against their enemies is held to justify their indiscriminate extermination. We fail to see how. They did not have the choice of their means of defense; they necessarily took what the Lord gave them and they act as instinct directs.

## Antics of Meat in a Car.

Packing house products are rather a risky commodity to haul, because fresh meats hung from hooks in a refrigerator car may get to swinging violently when the train is moving rapidly and throw cars from the tracks.—Railroad Age Gazette.

## Trustless.

"Folks dat trusts in love at fust sight," said Uncle Eben, "is terrible apt to finish by not bein' able to see each other wif a spy glass."

## A Tight Place.

Stout Party (who has dropped cigar)—Now, which can I afford to lose—my cigar or my back button.—London Opinion.

## FISCAL COURT

## ELECTS OFFICERS

Caucus Nominees All Go Through as Scheduled.

## JUDGE KNIGHT PRESIDES

Terms and Salaries Fixed For Ensuing Four Years.

The Fiscal Court met Tuesday and elected the following officers:

Road Supervisor, E. W. Coleman.  
Poor House Keeper, Jas. R. Anderson.

Delinquent Tax Collector, L. L. Nichols.

County Physician, Dr. F. P. Thomas.  
Poor Commissioner, W. F. Randle.  
Overseer Prisoners, Wm. Warfield.

The term of the officers and their salaries were also fixed as follows:

Road Supervisor, 2 years, \$1,200 a year.  
Poor House Keeper, 4 years, \$480  
Tax Collector, 4 years, 40 per cent.  
Physician, 4 years, \$400 a year.  
Commissioner, 4 years, \$360 a year.  
Overseer, 4 years, \$420 a year.

The court house janitor's salary was fixed at \$420 a year. Judge Knight and Justices J. M. Morris and W. R. Elliott were named as Poor House Commissioners.

John C. Duffy was elected a member of the County Board of Health for four years.

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I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you \$3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, 968 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-cooquering power.

It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.

## GRANDDAUGHTER

Of Gen. Robt. E. Lee is Wedded.

Miss Auriel Lee, an actress and granddaughter of Gen. Robt. E. Lee, was married last Saturday to Frederick William Lloyd in Christ church, Mayfair, England. The bride is the daughter of Robert Edward Lee, of Virginia, and the bridegroom is a nephew of the Bishop of Newcastle. The guests included the Duke of Abercorn, Lord Howard DeWalden and many other notables.

## PREPARATORY SERVICE

For the Revival at the Baptist Church Next Week.

Services preparatory to the revival at the Baptist church, to be begun next Sunday have been held at night this week by Rev. R. F. Jandon, organizer for Rev. T. T. Martin, who will conduct the revival. Rev. J. F. Schofield, the singer, will come with Dr. Martin. The attendance has been good.

Home Seekers rates to the North west and Southwest on first and third Tuesdays. For further information call on agent Illinois Central. T. L. MORROW, Agent.

Queer New York Street Signs. A barber in the Bronx who hails from Italy has a sign painted on his window "Barbitonorial Parlor." And on a hotel by a Bronx road is the announcement, "Automobile and Funeral Parties Cheerfully Accommodated."—New York Sun.

## WANTED

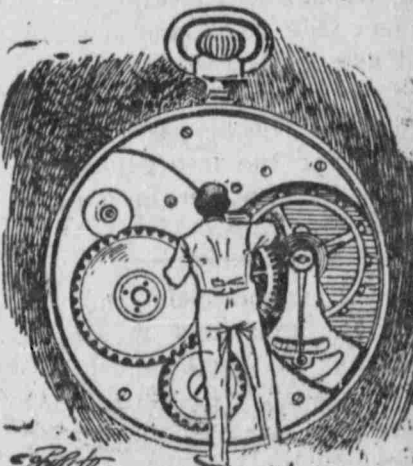
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